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HAGUE, Nov. 11.

MR Horatio Walpole continues to have frequent Conferences with the principal Members of this State, at which the Affair of the Spaniſh Depredations is not the leaſt Topic of Diſcourſe. The Court of Spain inſiſts upon it, that his Catholick Majeſty has a Right to demand Satisfaction of the Engliſh, for that contrary to the Tenor of the Treaties ſubſiſting between the two Nations, they keep up in America every Year above 40 interloping Veſſels from 150 to 200 Tons each, which, under Pretence of trading to the Engliſh Plantations, run along the Coaſts of New Spain, and land great Quantities of Goods there, for which they bring off Silver in Bars, or Pieces of Eight. The ſame Complaints are form'd againſt our Merchants; and it is not probable they are altogether groundleſs. There are People who don't ſtick to ſay, that England has not ſuffered ſo much by the Capture of 138 Ships which the Spaniards have carried to the Havanna, or any other Port of their Dominions, as it gets in one Year only from the contraband Trade in America.

Paris, Nov 25. A few Days before the Court left Fontainbleau, an Officer arrived there from the Marquiſs de Villeneuve, his Majeſty's Ambaſſador at the Porte, with Diſpatches of great Importance concerning the King's Mediation for accommodating the Difference between the Emperor and the Grand-Signior. That Officer reports, that during his Stay at Conſtantinople, Count Bonneval took a Journey thither incognito; that he was very much conſidered by the Grand Signior and all the Ottoman Court, and that his Opinion was of great Weight in the Divan: The Officer adds, that the Eve of his Departure, he ſupped with that General, who aſſured him, *That he ſtill preſerved a true Inclination to the Crown of France and all the French Nation; that he deſired nothing but the Opportunity of being ſerviceable to them in his Poſt; and that tho' he built great Hopes on the War between the Porte and the Emperor, he was ready to make a Sacrifice of them, in order to leave his Maſter the Glory of putting an End to it, by his Mediation.* This Officer has been ſent back to Conſtantinople with new Inſtructions for the Marquis de Villeneuve.

Mr. Schmerling Miniſter from the Emperor has had three ſucceſſive Conferences with the Cardinal Fleury and M. Amelot, concerning his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty's Mediation, to put an End to the War between the Emperor and the Turks, upon Terms tolerably advantageous to his Imperial Majeſty, by inducing the Porte to ſettle the Limits agreeable to the Peace of Paſſarowitz, by which means all Walachia will be given up to the Emperor, and the ſix Millions paid him that was ſtipulated for by Virtue of that Treaty, and which has never been yet diſcharged. But theſe Terms are offered on Condition that his Imperial Majeſty break off his Alliance with the Czarina, which as their Miniſters inſinuate, Neceſſity will juſtify, after an unfortunate Campaign, occaſioned by the Ruſſians, finiſhing it too ſoon, whereby the Turks were enabled to enter Walachia and Tranſylvania, and to ſend a Body of Troops to raiſe the Siege of Widdin, and retake Niſſa.

Dublin, Nov. 11. Among the reſt of our Manufactures which we have of late endeavoured to bring to Perfection, none has ſucceeded better than the making of Glaſſes; thoſe made this Year are equal to any in the World, as well in the Beauty of the Make and Colour, as in Goodneſs of Metal: And they are come to ſo great a Perfection in making of Pots, (which heretofore would not bear the Fire) that the Buſineſs is attended with much leſs Expence than uſual.

LONDON, *December* 1.

Extract of a Letter from Falmouth, *to a Merchant at* London, *dated*, Nov. 21, 1737.

Here arrived on Thurſday the 18th inſt. from Lizbon, a Gentleman who left the Havanna the 20th of Auguſt laſt, and is the very Perſon who has taken and carried in there moſt of the Engliſh Ships that have been taken by the Spaniſh Guarda Coſtas. He is a Frenchman by Extraction, though born in London, and profeſſes himſelf a Proteſtant and Subject of England, but ſays, when he did this, he was in the King of Spain's Service, and had his Catholick Majeſty's abſolute Orders to take all Ships belonging to Great-Britain, and carry them in, whether they had contraband Goods or no; and he being touched with Remorſe at ſo unjuſt a Proceeding, (though he had a Salary of 1000 Piſtoles a Year) could not be eaſy, but left the Station, and making the beſt of his Way for Lizbon, incognito, there ſurrendered himſelf to our Envoy, who diſpatched him here. Orders how to proceed with him are expected from London. In the mean time he remains a Priſoner in this Town. He preſumes the great Diſcoveries he is capable to make of the Deſigns of Spain will be ſo highly advantageous to the Court, as to obtain his Majeſty's Grace and Favour; He is a Priſoner at the ſame Houſe I am at, to have had frequent Opportunities with him.

The Report that Gibraltar was beſieged and Georgia conquer'd, is groundleſs; and aroſe from the Packet Boat from Lizbon arriving without Letters for the Merchants: She brought on board her one *Savy* a Carolina Man, who was to conduct the Spaniards in the Invaſion of Georgia. My Lord Tyrawly ſecured him at Lizbon, and ſent away the Packet in haſte with him on board; he ſeems to be ſincerely penitent for his former Deſigns, and hath given ſeveral important Informations.

Laſt Night a General Council ſate on ſettling her late Majeſty's Funeral, which we hear will be on Tueſday the 20th of December, in a private decent Manner.

On Saturday, as they were diging the Vault in King Henry the VIIth's Chapel, they found a ſmall Lead Coffin, in which one of the Sons of King James the Firſt, aged four Months, had been buried: As likewiſe a large Stone, ſuppoſed to be the Cover of a Stone Coffin; but the Inſcription was ſo worn out by Time, that it was not to be diſcovered who it belonged to.

From Belgrade of the 16th Inſtant, that a large Body of Troops having appeared in the Neighbourhood of Orſova,

ſova, as if they deſign'd the Siege of that Place, had ſince taken Poſt in an Iſland over againſt it in the Danube; upon which the Governor of that Fortreſs had ſunk the two Imperial Men of War on that River, to prevent their falling into the Enemy's Hands, firſt ſtripping them of their Artillery, Stores, &c

CHARLES TOWN, *February* 16.

——*Harriſon* Eſq; a Relation to Sir *Robt. Walpole*, is appointed Surveyor General of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms for this Province, *N-Carolina*, *Virginia*, *Maryland*, *Penſylvania*, and the *Bahama* Iſlands, in the room of *George Pheeny* Eſq; deceaſed.

Mr. *Timothy*,

I happen'd not long ſince, to fall by Chance into Company with a young Gentleman of my own Country born, who is about 19 or 20 Years of age, his *Indiſcretion* and *Affectation* (which it was impoſſible for me to avoid taking Notice of) gave me great Concern, and much Pain, for the little Time that I remain'd in his Company, and is my principal Reaſon for deſiring you to publiſh this for his and others Inſtruction

An indiſcreet Man is not Maſter of his Words, his Actions or his Motions, he talks when he ought to hold his Tongue, without having any Regard either to the Quality or Age of Perſons, or the Nature of Things intruſted to him, he intrudes into Places where his Company is not deſired, and thruſts himſelf into Affairs wherein he has nothing to do; he is the Peſt of Converſation; they that ſpeak in his Preſence, are always upon the *Punctilio*, and under ſome Torture and Conſtraint, for he makes them ſpeak contrary to their Meaning, and obliges them to be continually explaining themſelves, he likewiſe reports to People the diſobliging Things that have been ſaid of them, in the Company he was in the Day or Night before, and quotes his Authors for it, he never corrects himſelf for his Indiſcretion, which draws him (*together with his Affectation*) into ſo many Faults, and expoſes him to ſuch ſhameful Reproaches; by his want of *Brains*, he ruins his own Affairs and thoſe of others too. Indiſcretion is an inexhauſtible Source of Impertinencies, which deſtroys the Pleaſures of Converſation and *Civil Society*. An indiſcreet Man makes himſelf ridiculous without perceiving it, becauſe he wants Judgment, and is not capable of obſerving his own Extravagancies 'Tis perhaps a Vice that is hardeſt to be cur'd, becauſe a Man does dot find it out

Affectation is the Effect of a corrupt Taſte, of an extravagant Imagination, of an immoderate and miſtaken Deſire of Pleaſing, and diſtinguiſhing one ſelf People corrupted with *this Vice* have nothing natural in their Way of *talking*, *walking*, *Dreſſing*, *turning their Eyes or Head*, theſe are Motions unknown to other Men. In order to ſpeak, there needs no more than to open the Mouth eaſily, and without Pains; but they ſeek a *Miſtery* in it, they ſeem to be moved with Springs, it would grieve them to laugh, caugh, walk, or ſpit like the Vulgar; their Diſguiſe reaches even to the Sound of their Voice. To expreſs the moſt common Things, they uſe a *Jargon* that it's the hardeſt Thing imaginable to underſtand, 'tis made up of cull'd Words and Paraphraſes.

How fatiguing a Thing is it to hear thoſe People who uſe ſelect Words in their Diſcourſe to expreſs the moſt trivial Things? Is there any need of ſtudying for a Periphraſis to call for *Drink*, *a Boat*, or to ask what o'*Clock 'tis*? What's the Reaſon *Dorilas*, you affect always the Uſe of new coin'd Words, and will have nothing common with other People? Are you afraid you ſhould not appear fantaſtical enough? Theſe faſhionable Words wherewith you think to imbelliſh your Diſcourſe, give you an effeminate and ridiculous Air; you think you are applauded, when People ridicule and ſneer you.

Perſons of mean Birth procure nothing but Contempt by the Artifice they employ to conceal the Shame of their Original; they would be kindlier treated, if they ingeniouſly appear'd what they realy are; nothing is more deſpicable than the Affectation they have to be eternally talking of the Employs of their Relations, and their own; this often expoſes them to very mortifying Reflections, for the World is not always in Humour to applaud ſo ridiculous a Vanity.

I am, Sir,

Your conſtant Reader and
humble Servant. C. D.

Cuſtom-Houſe, Charleſtown,

Entred inwards,

Sloop Midnight, Ja: Tucker from N-York.

Entred out,

Billander King George, Jacob Ayres for London.
Brigt Charles, Simon Punter for Poole.

Clear'd for Departure,

Ship 3 Siſters, Benj. Hewitt to London.
—— Renelow, Sam. Ball to Topſham.
Snow John, Nicholas Guille to Falmouth.
Brigt Betty, John Staple to Cowes.
Sloop Georgia Packet, John Luſh to New-York.

EXPORTED from this PLACE ſince *Nov.* 1, 1737.

Rice 14352 Barrels. Pitch 3372. Tarr 2403. Turpentine 507. Whereof 1686 Barrels of Rice to the Southward of *Cape Finiſterre*.

PRICES of the following GOODS.

Rice 3 l. 10 s.	Flour *per C.* 5 l.
Pitch *per* Bar. 45 *s*	Milkbread 12 l.
Tar per Bar 32 s 6 d.	Shipbread 5 l.
Turpentine 7 *s.* 6 d.	Middling bread 6 l.
Corn per B. 25 *s.*	White 9 l.

Advertiſements.

THAT NONE MAY PRETEND IGNORANCE,

I Give this publick Notice to all ſuch as fail'd in their Payments to me laſt Crop, and do not diſcharge the ſame before the 15th Day of *March*, that their Bonds, Notes and Accounts will then be put in Suit, if not prevented by Payment or giving ſome certain Security for the punctual Payment next *January* to JAMES CROKATT.

I alſo expect thoſe whoſe Debts were due this Crop, will pay or ſettle the ſame by the firſt of *May* at furtheſt.

CHOICE old Barbados Rum to be ſold by the Hogſhead, Tierce or half Hogſhead, at 17 s 6 d. per Gallon, alſo fine Muſcovado Sugars at reaſonable Rate by *Gabriel Manigault.*

CHOICE Limejuice juſt imported in the *Loyal Jane*, from *Jamaica*, and to be ſold by *Sam: Eveligh*, in any Quantity from 10 to 100 Gallons.

TO BE SOLD at publick Vendue, at the Houſe of Mrs. *Guerin* in *Gooſe*-Creek, on Tueſday the 14th of *March* next, the real and perſonal Eſtate of *Paul Marion* deceaſed conſiſting of 400 Acres at *Wiſſamſaw*, 100 Acres in *Gooſe*-Creek, ſeveral Slaves, and Cattle For ready Money or one Year's Credit, with good Security, and paying Intereſt, by *Peter Marion* Executor.

TO BE SOLD a young Negro Wench, brought up in a Houſe and to Waſhing, and to be ſeen the Stores now in the Poſſeſſion of Meſſrs. *Atkin's* by *Jacob Motte.*

TO BE SOLD a Plantation containing 300 Acres, ſcituate on *Aſhley*-River, near Mr. *Doyley's*, about one Mile and a half from a Landing, it is extraordinary good both for Rice and Corn. Any Perſon having a mind to purchaſe the ſame, may treat with *John Baſſnet* living on ſaid Plantation.

JUST IMPORTED in the Sloop *Midnight*, *Jaz Tucker* from *N-York*, viz. ſundry ſorts of bread, flour, hams, ſtrong beer, rum, Madeira wine, candles, onions, and ſeveral other ſorts of Goods at a reaſonable rate by *Abraham Skinner* or *Jaz Tucker* in Broad-ſtreet, oppoſite to Mrs. *Eldridge*.

Stray'd or Stolen from the Plantation of *Henry Hyrne* Eſq; the 30th of *January* laſt, a large Roan Horſe, branded on the mounting Buttock WZ in one. Whoever brings ſaid Horſe to the Subſcriber, or gives notice where he may be found, ſhall have 5 l. reward from *Andrew Leſly.*

Two Lotts joining together in *Dorcheſter* Town, fronting the Bay, with 3 Dwelling houſes, one Kitchen and Stable, all under good Cypreſs ſhing'd Roofs, to let by the Year, or leaſed for a Term of Years, or to be ſold for ready Money or Credit, with good Security if required by *Jeremiah Milner.*

In the Council-Chamber, the 11th January 1737.

On Motion made,

ORDERED That every Officer claiming Fees out of the Townſhip Fund, for Services by them perform'd towards ſettling the new Townſhips, do with all convenient Speed, deliver their ſaid Claims to the Clerk of this Board, in order the ſame may be taken into Conſideration.

By Order of the Honourable the Preſident and His Majeſty's Honourable Council.

J. BADENHOP, *C. C.*

This is to give Notice to all Perſons who have Claims, or are willing to become Settlers in *Beaufort* Town on *Port Royal* Iſland, that Grants will be given for Lotts in the ſaid Town, on the 22d Day of this Inſtant, and that they do put in their Claims or Petitions into the Hands of the Clerk of the Council before that time.

By Order of His Honour the Preſident.

ALEX: CRAMAHE.

To be lett a new convenient Tenement, ſituate in Broad ſtreet, where Mrs: *Eliz. Miles* now lives, oppoſite to the Houſe of *Iſaac Mazyck* Eſq. To be ſold by the ſaid *Eliz: Miles*, a large Stock of Cattle, either in ſmall Parcels or the Whole, and a Pettiaugua which carries 70 Barrels of Rice, with Sails, Rigging, *&c.* Any Perſon inclinable to hire or purchaſe any of the above, may be further inform'd by the ſaid Mrs *Eliz: Miles* at her Plantation at *Stono*, or Mr. *Iſaac Holmes* at the lower End of Broad ſtreet.

To be Sold the Houſe and Lott, where Capt. *Wm. Pinckney* now lives, fronting Broad ſtreet, ſituate between *Benj Whitaker* Eſq; and Mr *John Breton*, being 47 Feet front, and 245 Feet deep. Likewiſe another Lott adjoining the above, and fronting Queen-ſtreet, being 47 Feet front, and 242 Feet deep, Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe either or both of them, may treat with *Dan: Welſhuyſen* Eſq; or Meſſrs. *Crokatt* & *Seaman* in *Charleſtown*.

Brought to Goal in Charleſtown,

February 10. *Joe*, a Negro Fellow, taken up at Engliſh *Santee per Henry Heard.*

To be Sold a choice Tract of Land, containing about 76 Acres, ſcituate near the Plantation called *Hillsburgh*. Whoever will buy the ſame, may treat with Madam *Hill*, living on the ſaid Plantation.

To be Lett a new built Dwelling-houſe, in a handſome Scituation at *Childsburry*, well contriv'd for one or two, if ſmaller, Families, with Out houſes, Gardens and other proper Accomodations for a Store or Mechanick Trade. Whoever has Occaſion for all or half the ſaid Houſe, *&c* may know of *Francis Lejeau* Eſq; or Mr. *Henry Gignilliat* at *Childsburry*.

NB. The whole Houſe at 60 l. *per Annum.*

THESE are to forbid any Perſon to harbour or entertain *Peter Poinſet*, he being an indented Servant to the Subſcriber, who will proſecute thoſe who ſhall do to the Contrary, to the utmoſt Severity of the Law.

John Légaré.

Run away a few Days ago a white Servant, about 22 Years old, nam'd *Thomas Moore*, a Cooper by Trade. Whoever ſecures and brings him to *Charleſtown*, to *John Watſone*, ſhall have 25 l. reward

All Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of *Thomas Guild* deceaſed, either by Debts contracted before or ſince his Death, are to take Notice, that if they don't diſcharge the ſame before the firſt of *March* next, they may aſſure themſelves, their Accounts will then be given to *Ja: Graeme* Eſq; to put the ſame in Suit immediately, per Order of *John Atkinſon* } Executors.
Alexander Smith }

CHOICE old Rum, Muſcovado Sugar, beſt London Tobacco, Pipes, Hatts, Shoes, &c. to be ſold very reaſonable by *Joſe Tucker* at his Store in *Elliot*-ſtreet, over againſt Mr. *Mackenzie's*.

Run away *from* Tho: Wright, *about three Years ſince, a Negro Man named* Trampoſe, *branded on the right Shoulder* TW *in one. He could not ſpeak Engliſh when he went away. If any Perſon gives any Intelligence of him ſo that he may be apprehended or diſcover'd, ſhall receive upon Demand* 50 l. *reward*

Alſo run away in Auguſt *laſt, a Negro Man named* Paul, *who had been one Year in my Plantation near* Silk Hope, *he ſpoke little or no Engliſh. Whoſoever brings him to ſaid Plantation, or can give any Intelligence of him, ſhall have* 10 l. *paid upon Demand*

Alſo run away in November *laſt, a Negro Man named* Charles, *he ſpeaks pretty good Engliſh, is an elderly Fellow, is branded* TW *in one, on the right Shoulder, and has had a large Cut on the Small of his Back, he is ſuppoſed to be harboured by the Negroes of* Silk Hope *Plantation Whoſoever apprehends him and brings him to my Plantation near* Silk-Hope, *ſhall have* 5 l.

Alſo run away in January *laſt, from my Plantation near* Silk-Hope, *two new Negro Men, they ſpeak but little Engliſh, they are branded on the right Shoulder* TW *in one, one of them is named* Will, *the other* Summer. *If any Perſon brings them to ſaid Plantation, ſhall receive* 40 s. *reward for each*

Thomas Wright *hath a choice piece of Swamp Land, about* 2 or 300 *Acres, joining to* Huger's *Bridge and* Silk-Hope *Plantation, to be ſold or lett upon Leaſe. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe or rent the ſaid Land, may treat with me at my Plantation.*

Thomas Wright.

To be Sold at publick Vendue, for ready Money or one Years Credit paying Intereſt from the Day of Sale, and giving Security (if required) on Tueſday the 14th Day of *March* next at the Plantation late of Landgrave *Robert Daniel* deceaſed, on *Daniel's* Iſland in the Pariſh of *St. Thomas*, now in the Poſſeſſion of the Subſcriber, a choice parcel of ſenſible Slaves moſt of them born in this Country, and are part of the Eſtate of the ſaid Landgrave *Daniel*. The Subſcriber has a fine young Stallion to diſpoſe of, five Years old, and a natural Pacer *Wm. Trewin*

To be Sold *a choice Tract of Land, the upper part of* Gooſe Creek, *containing* 414 *Acres, with a Dwelling houſe and Out houſes thereon, moſt part of it Swamp, not above* 40 *Acres Pine Barren, joining to* Jos: Wragg, Andr. Broughton *Eſqrs. and* John Oulofield's *Lands. the loweſt part of the ſaid Land in making a Dam two Foot high, will overflow* 140 *Acres. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſaid Land, may treat with Mr.* Edw: Keating *or Mr.* Iſ: Lewis *on the ſaid Plantation*

AS John Watſone ſoon intends for *England*, he requeſts all thoſe who are ſtill indebted to the Eſtate of *Walter Welch* deceaſed, by Book, Note or Bond, to diſcharge their reſpective Debts by the 10th of *March* next, otherwiſe he will be under a Neceſſity to ſue every one without Diſtinction, by the Help of *Maurice Lewis* Eſq; And he hopes, that thoſe who are indebted to himſelf, will be ſo kind as to diſcharge what they owe him before he commenced his preſent Partnerſhip.

To be Sold at publick Vendue at *George-Town Winyaw*, on Thurſday the 23d of *February*, a Tract of Land on *Waccamow* containing 600 Acres, known laterly by the Name of *Powel's*, and formerly called *Bear Bluff*. It riſes with a pleaſant Aſcent from the River where a Veſſel may come up without Danger or Difficulty. A conſiderable Part of the Land is fit for Rice, Corn and Peaſe, and there is a fine Lagoon upon it that abounds with variety of Fiſh. The Conditions of Sale will be declar'd at the Time and Place above mentioned. Wm Powell.

BY an Act of this Province for erecting a Free-School at *Childsbury*, it is therein enacted, that *upon the Death of any of the Truſtees the Survivors of them ſhall give Notice to the Subſcribers, or to the Heirs or Aſſigns of ſuch of the Subſcribers as ſhall be dead, within three Months to meet at* Childsbury *at a certain Day to elect another Truſtee in the Place of the Perſon deceas'd.*

This is therefore to deſire the Subſcribers to the ſaid School, to meet at *Childsbury* on the firſt Day of *March* next, in order to chooſe a Truſtee in the Room of the Hon. *Thomas Broughton* Eſq; deceaſed.